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**47 VESSELS, WITH
91,000 TONNAGE,
SUNK BY U-BOATS****Twenty-One Steamers, 10 Sailing Ships and 16 Fishing Boats Destroyed.****GERMANS GO TO MEXICO****Passports by the Wholesale Being Issued by Mexican Consul at New York; Knox Says Wilson Has Full Authority to Arm Merchant Vessels.**

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**BIG FREIGHTER WILL
SAIL SOON UNARMED**

NEW YORK, March 8.—If she can get a crew, the 14,000 ton freighter Manchuria of the Atlantic Transportation line will sail for London today armed. She is the first vessel under American flag to load mails for a prohibited port since the American line cancelled sailings on February 2. The crew struck yesterday for a 75 per cent wage bonus. The company has already granted 50 per cent.

**SPAIN TO TRY NEW
FOOD DISTRIBUTION PLAN**

MADRID, March 8.—The cabinet is studying measures to insure the better distribution of foodstuffs throughout the country. Every disposition will be made to enable Spain to live on its own resources and restrictions will be imposed on all articles not absolutely essential to the life of the country.

**GERMANS FROM U. S.
GOING INTO MEXICO**

NEW YORK, March 8.—The Mexican embassy is issuing passports to Germans at the rate of more than 100 a day. Four hundred Germans have applied for and received passports this week. Those immigrating to Mexico, it is said, go by rail through San Antonio.

**KNOX SAYS PRESIDENT
CAN ARM MERCHANTS**

WASHINGTON, March 8.—"I have not the slightest doubt that the President, under the constitution, has the right to arm American merchant ships for defensive purposes," declared Senator Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania. "The government is not rendered helpless and contemptible. The President has ample authority and there need be no concern about the pirate laws of 1815 interfering. If the President has the authority to supply arms to merchant ships, as he himself said he had, and as I believe he has, Congress could enact no law that would curtail that authority. The constitutional right of the President cannot be infringed by a statute." This statement of his views from a man who has served as Attorney General under two Presidents, seems to help clarify the situation. In discussing the armed neutrality bill yesterday, Mr. Knox gave his general views on the subject.

"The suggestion that the commander in chief of the army and navy has not the authority under the Constitution to protect American ships and American lives appears to me to be unworthy of argument," he said. "There is no question about that authority. The fact that Congress has enacted certain laws which appear to conflict with that grant of power may be brushed aside as unimportant. We know that Congress cannot limit the constitutional power of the President and that is all we need to know. The President is entirely justified in proceeding to arm the ships as he originally proposed."

**ARTILLERY ACTIVITY
FEATURES OPERATIONS**

Today's reports from the European war areas again indicate a period of bad weather and unimportant military operations. Aside from raiding activities the only feature of the official statement is the mention of rather spirited artillery activity in some sectors. Paris mentions the general region between the Oise and the Aisne in this connection and Berlin announces that only in the Champagne was the big gun fire violent.

There has been similar stagnation along the Russian and Macedonian front according to the German statement.

**CLOTURE AMENDMENT
TAKEN UP BY SENATE**

WASHINGTON, March 8.—The cloture amendment to the Senate rules, approved by both Democratic and Republican caucuses, was taken up by the Senate today under unanimous consent. Senator Martin, majority leader, in asking unanimous consent, said that by so doing he had no desire to shut off full debate. Senator Lodge, ranking Republican of the foreign relations committee, said he hoped there would be no objection. "I wish this rules committee might be a little more drastic," said Senator Borah. "It is my belief the majority of the Senate should be able to

**WILSON MAY ARM
SHIPS SHORTLY****Advised That He Has Sufficient Power; Likely to Act at Any Time.**

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Indications accumulated today that President Wilson is likely to act at any time in the situation caused by Germany's announcement of ruthless submarine warfare. Although he was kept in bed by a cold it was said he was still considering the subject.

In some administration parties it was believed the President is certain to act this week, but other officials took the position that he would wait until the Senate has had opportunity to revise its rules.

Mr. Wilson has been advised that he has sufficient power to arm merchantmen without waiting for action by Congress and some officials believe he will act on this advice forthwith.

On the other hand a strong sentiment undoubtedly exists in the administration for the President to take action along the line of calling an extra session of Congress to meet in the very near future. Reports given to the President agree that the Senate rules will be revised quickly or that if an extra session of Congress is called it would be possible to get prompt action on an armed neutrality resolution.

Inasmuch as there is a general agreement that an extra session is necessary some time before July 1 because of the failure of important appropriation bills to pass, a disposition was apparent today among officials to advise Mr. Wilson to call an extra session at once and get it over with.

More than 100 members of the House of Representatives from the Middle and Far West still are in Washington awaiting announcement by the President as to whether he expects to call an extra session soon. They fear that if they start for home they may be intercepted on the way by an extra session call and have to return immediately.

limit debate. I am satisfied with the change, however."

"The President," said Senator Sherman, "intentionally seeks to convey to the country the impression that only by a change in the Senate rules can the neutrality bill be passed at a special session of Congress. That is not practically true, however, theoretically it may be thought to make it appear true." Senator Sherman added that "a portion of the truth was deliberately omitted" from the President's statement on the neutrality bill.

"I intend to support the bill," he added, "but I object to making a few senators the object of the President's wrath in a statement sent out to the public."

**AMERICANS NOT DETAINED
BY GERMANS IN BELGIUM**

WASHINGTON, Mar. 8.—Americans in Belgium are no longer detained in any sense by the German military authorities, according to a final report received at the state department today from Minister Brand Whitlock at Brussels. The dispatch stated that some subordinate officials in Belgium had prevented Americans from leaving immediately after the severance in relations for lack of orders whether to hold them or not. The difficulty has been straightened out he reported and Americans are free to come and go as before the severance of relations.

**SAY PLOT FOR INDIAN REVOIT
HAD ZIMMERMAN'S APPROVAL**

NEW YORK, March 8.—Documentary evidence purporting to show that Dr. Claudius Clankruber, a Hindoo, and Ernest Sekunna, a German, conspired to overthrow the government of India, had been in communication with the German foreign office at Berlin and that their plans had the approval of Dr. Alfred Zimmermann with recommendations that financial aid be given certain intrigues in this country, will be laid before the federal grand jury it was learned today from government officials when the jury resumed its investigation into German plots.

The bill bonds furnished Dr. Clankruber and Sekunna by the National Surety Company were withdrawn by the company today with the explanation that it had concluded not to furnish bail for persons regarded as un-American or hostile to the United States.

**BRITISH NOW WITHIN
12 MILES OF BAGDAD**

LONDON, Mar. 8.—British cavalry is now within 12 miles of Bagdad. This statement was made today to the Associated Press by Major General F. B. Maurer, chief director of military operations at the war office.

NO SETTLERS' TICKETS

Railroads Cut Out Reduced Rates to Colonists.

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, March 8.—Colonists rates to the West, a custom of the railroads for 20 years, have been abandoned by agreement of managers of railroad lines, it was announced today.

According to the managers, the rates were intended to promote immigration to the West and the reason for their long since phased.

4,852 Army Recruits

WASHINGTON, March 8.—Recruiting during February resulted in 4,852 men being added to the regular army, the War Department announced today.

**BUSH ENTERS A
PLEA OF GUILTY
AND IS PAROLED****Man Accused of Murder is Released by Agreement of Defense and Prosecution.****NICHOLS FAMILY AGREES****Attorney for Defense Explains to Court That Relatives of Man Bush Shot Have Not Objected to Slayer's Release; Case Comes to Sudden End.**

Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, March 8.—John C. Bush of Beltsville today pleaded guilty to the indictment charging him with the murder of Andrew Nichols in a gambling room in South Brownsville on January 11. Upon the recommendation of the members of the Nichols family, represented in court by Attorney W. C. McKean, Judge J. Q. Van Swearingen directed that Bush be paroled.

After four of the commonwealth's witnesses had testified yesterday the trial of Bush was abruptly halted at 3:15 o'clock and the jury locked in the jury room. It was intimated shortly afterward that there was a possibility of a plea being entered. The jury was brought into court this morning at 9:03 o'clock and Judge Van Swearingen stated that Bush, by consent of counsel for the commonwealth, had withdrawn his plea of not guilty and had entered a plea of guilty to voluntarily manslaughter. "The members of the jury, who have been on the case since Tuesday, were discharged from further service until 1:30 o'clock this afternoon."

Bush, with Senator William E. Crow and former District Attorney S. Ray Shelby, his counsel, took his place at the defendant's counsel table where he signed the plea. He was then called before the court with Senator Crow and Attorney McKean.

"If the court please, last evening after the adjournment of court, in fact before court adjourned and during the afternoon recess, counsel for the defense, Mr. May and myself had some talk with a view of coming to an understanding concerning the disposition of the case. It was proposed that I might meet with the members of the court that the plea of not guilty entered by the defendant when he was arraigned might be withdrawn and the plea of voluntary manslaughter entered. Being somewhat familiar with what we had a right to anticipate would be the line of defense by reason of being acquainted with the testimony introduced at the time of the hearing and from what had been testified to on the hearing of the habeas corpus at the time the defendant was admitted to bail, and knowing the testimony upon the part of the Commonwealth as it would be introduced before this jury, in fact taking all things into consideration that would be a proper disposition of the case. Continued on Page Two.

FORM TWO DISTRICTS**Women of Christian Church Get New Organization Going.**

Two districts of the four that will comprise a new women's association of the Christian Church were formed this afternoon by Rev. C. C. Buckner, the pastor. The object of the association is to eliminate the money raising affairs of the women of the church and devote more time to soul saving and other purely religious matters.

NEED NEW DISHES.

White House Supply Low, But Money For New Is Not Hand.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—New rug, draperies, furniture, tableware and other furnishings for the White House, said to be badly needed, must await action at another session of Congress, it developed today, because the \$60,000 asked for that purpose called when Congress neglected to pass the sundry civil appropriations bill.

It is said that \$8,000 worth of new china is particularly needed because when state dinners are held it is necessary to supplement the Wilson china with pieces from two or three other presidential sets.

BATTLE DEPENDING.

Mexican De Facto and Rebel Forces Soon to Clash.

By Associated Press.
JUAREZ, March 8.—Mexican de facto and rebel forces are said to be approaching each other today in the vicinity of San Martin ranch, 60 miles southeast of Juarez and a battle is believed to be imminent.

**WESTERN RAILROADS HAVE
TO PAY ENORMOUS PRICES
FOR THEIR COAL SUPPLY****By Associated Press.**

CHICAGO, March 8.—Operators of coal mines are asking greatly enhanced prices for their product even of their biggest customers, including the railroads. It was said today. In instances the prices at the pit mouth are 100 per cent more than a year ago.

None of the advance so far reported run under 50 per cent.

Following are some of the new contracts:

The New York Central this week bought 600,000 tons of Southern Illinois coal at \$2 a ton for steam lump, an advance of 65 cents a ton.

The Southern Railway bought 500,000 tons of big steam coal at \$1.65 compared with \$1.13 1/2 a year ago.

The coal docks of the upper lakes this week bought 400,000 tons of Pocahontas block and egg coal at \$2.75. The price a year ago was \$1.60. The docks also paid \$3 for Pocahontas mine run coal which last year cost them \$1.35.

The Louisville & Nashville paid \$2 a ton for Alabama coal which cost \$2.23 a ton a year ago.

**PRESIDENT IS
CONFINED TO BED****Severe Cold Following Inauguration Makes It Necessary For Him To Take Rest.**

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 8.—President Wilson, who is suffering from a cold taken a week ago and made worse during his inauguration, remained in bed today by order of his physician, Dr. Cary T. Grayson.

No engagements were made by the President and he will rest as much as possible during the next few days.

Dr. Grayson said at noon that the President's temperature was about normal and that absolute rest for several days was necessary. The President spent a quiet night. The prospects were that he would have to remain in bed for several days although his condition was not serious.

HAS NARROW ESCAPE**Dairymen's Horse Struck by Pennsylvania Train at Dunbar.**

Arvon Dearth, a dairyman of near Dunbar, had a narrow escape from death yesterday, when a train struck his horse which he was driving. Dearth had been delivering milk, and drove over to the ware room of Wilson & Wishart, near the Pennsylvania tracks, to load some feed on his wagon.

The train struck the horse, knocking it from the track, but Dearth escaped uninjured.

SCOTT TO MOVE**Greene After 18 Years in One Location, Will Take New Store Room.**

After doing business for 18 years at one stand, W. R. Scott will move his grocery store from its present location on North Pittsburg street to a room at the corner of Peach and Pittsburg streets on April 1.

The room is now occupied by A. S. Sloos, proprietor of the Economy Cash Grocery, who, it is said, will return. Who will take the room vacated by Mr. Scott, is uncertain.

BIDS FOR ROUNDHOUSE**Western Maryland to Build Structure at Fayette Yards.**

The Western Maryland is asking bids for work on the proposed roundhouse in the new yards at Fayette. A local firm was notified last week that bids would be accepted, though plans for the roundhouse have not yet arrived from Baltimore.

The contract will be let from Baltimore, it was stated this morning at the offices of the Western Maryland here.

ROHREK RENAIRED.**Commissioners Appoint Collector of County Tax Here.**

The county commissioners today re-appointed Fred Rohrer collector of county and state tax for Connellsville. Mr. Rohrer has filled the position for several years and also acts as deputy collector for E. R. Potts, city collector.

The commissioners also appointed Mart A. Kiefer, collector for Uniontown.

Darcy's Plea Told.

ALBANY, N. Y.—A personal plea by Jas Darcy, the Australian boxer, that Governor Whitman reconsider his decision not to permit the fighter to appear in the ring in New York state because he had evaded military duty in his own country, was refused by the executive today.

Fire at Poor House.

BOONE, Ia., Mar. 8.—Four persons were missing and believed dead as the result of a fire which destroyed the buildings at the Boone county poor farm today. Fifty-three inmates were rescued.

Engineer Scalded.

Laird Bell of Scottsdale, a Pennsylvania railroad engineer, was scalded in a railroad wreck near Altoona Tuesday night. He was removed to the Altoona hospital.

Weather Forecast

Cloudy and somewhat cooler tonight; Friday fair, is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.

	1917	1916
Maximum	59	68
Minimum	41	32
Mean	50	50

The Young river rose from 3.15 to 4.20 feet during the night.

**YOUNG VAGRANT
TETANUS PATIENT****Owen Davis, 17 Year Old Dunlavy Youth, Gets Dread Disease From Nail In Foot.**

Cottage State Hospital. Staff surgeons are watching with interest the second case of tetanus discovered within the last week. Owen Davis, a 17 year old youth, is the patient. He ran a nail in his foot while wandering over the country searching for work and falling to give the wound proper attention it became infected.

Davis slept in the cellar of police station on Sunday night and on Monday his condition became so serious that he was removed to the hospital. Lockjaw developed.

Physicians report that he shows some signs of improvement and some hope is held out for his recovery. He gives his home as Dunlavy, Pa.

Elio Nuskoos, a laborer for the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad, died of a lockjaw at the hospital on Monday night. The disease developed from a mangled foot suffered when run down by a railroad train on the night of February 25.

CLAIMS GANNON BODY**Seranton Man Identifies Man Who Died at Hospital.**

Thomas Flannery of Seranton, Pa., arrived here last night and identified the body of John Gannon, which is at the funeral home of J. E. Sims' parlors as that of his brother-in-law, but made no arrangements for the burial. Gannon died at the Cottage State Hospital of pneumonia, being removed to the hospital from the police station, where he was a sleeper. According to Mr. Flannery, Gannon was married but had been separated from his wife for the past 21 or 22 years, the wife being compelled to support herself during that time by working in the homes of various families in Seranton.

Gannon was about 68 years old and was born at Girardville, Pa. In addition to his widow he is survived by a son, about 21 years old, in Seranton, and a brother, Edward Gannon, who is in the shoe business in New York city, and said to be very prosperous. Disposition of the body will not be made until a reply to a telegram sent to the brother in New York, is received by funeral director Sims. Mr. Flannery returned to his home at Seranton early this morning.

EXAMINATION DATE**Mine Inspectors' Tests at Pittsburg on March 13.**

The quadrennial examination of mine inspectors will be held on Tuesday, March 13, beginning at the Monongahela House, Pittsburg. The examination board is composed of George E. Batton, president; E. A. Waters, secretary; R. H. Kay, W. H. Gates and Stephen Arkwright, the latter of Mount Pleasant.

All who expect to attend are asked to notify the secretary, E. A. Waters, at the Monongahela House, Pittsburg. On the notices sent out special stress is laid upon the necessity that the applicants be familiar with the bituminous mining law of 1911. The examinations are held every four years.

George E. Batton, president of the board, is a former Connellsville resident.

GRUMBLE ACQUITTED**DeTemple's Prisoner Found Not Guilty of Carrying Concealed Weapons.**

Christopher Grumble, arrested at the Pennsylvania railroad station here on February 3 by John DeTemple, railroad officer, was acquitted yesterday of the charge of carrying concealed weapons on the grounds of insanity.

Grumble came into the court room yesterday in his shirt sleeves and smoking a pipe. DeTemple testified that when he arrested Grumble, the man was pointing a revolver at his eye of paper on the floor of the station. Other queer antics of the man were testified to. Judge Van Swearingen placed the costs of the case on the county.

DAMAGED BY FIRE**Race Street Residence Has Blaze Starting From Overheated Furnace.**

Fire starting from an overheated furnace slightly damaged the home of Thomas Neville on Race street, near Green, about 6:30 last night. The blaze was confined to the cellar and to one room in the second story.

The fire mounted to the upstairs room by way of the hot air duct, and set a bed, placed near the register, ablaze. The firemen first drowned the cellar fire, then forced burned mattresses and bed clothes from the upper window. The loss is not large, but it is not covered with insurance.

Smelts Sell Quickly.

NEW YORK, March 8.—Four carloads of smelts, 80,000 pounds, arrived today from the Pacific coast and were placed on sale by the market food supply committee in stores throughout the city. The first carload was brought here a week ago and quickly sold.

Heads Unlabeled Bills.

E. C. McCollough has been elected exalted ruler of Uniontown Lodge, B. P. O. Elks.

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**ENTRY INTO WAR
MEANS DISASTER,
LECTURER SAYS****If America is Enmeshed Last Hope of Civilization Gone, Correspondent States.****ORIENTAL PERIL IS DIRE****Dr. Wirt W. Barnitz, Former Representative of New York World in Central Powers, Tells of War From German Viewpoint in His Address.**

"War means disaster to this country. If America is enmeshed in this conflict, the last hope of civilization is gone," declared Wirt W. Barnitz, a New York newspaper correspondent who spent a year or more in the Central Powers during the war as representative of the New York Sunday World, in a lecture at parochial school hall last night. Urging the citizens to view the war from both sides and declaring that the United States should keep aloof from the madness that has come over practically every civilized nation, Dr. Barnitz predicted that if America is drawn into the conflict she will have to help pay the huge indemnity which England will have to pay to Germany after the war and face an invasion by the Oriental nations, headed by Japan.

The Oriental peril, Dr. Barnitz declared, is not imaginary. Hobson has the right idea of it, he declared. "It is a different thing if the world is at peace and we receive one insult after another from another power," he said. "Then if we resent it, we will not be so culpable. But now most of the world is at war, and we must keep aloof. We have stood things so far; can't we stand them a little longer? If we enter the war soon every nation on the globe will be in the hell of it."

"Out of the East, headed by Japan, will come the powers of the Orient to deluge us with a kind of hordes we know nothing of," Dr. Barnitz declared vehemently.

The lecturer declared that it was every American's duty to support his government in case of war. "No American has any right to be pro anything but Pro-American and no American has any right to criticize his government," he said.

Dr. Barnitz pictured the Germans as acting only as any other nation would under like circumstances. He admitted that they were guilty of outrages in Belgium but to point out that England has been guilty of outrages in Greece, and the Russians have been guilty of atrocities in Prussia and Poland.

"England has established a blockade to starve out the women and children of Germany. She cannot do it, for Germany is well supplied with staples and can continue to maintain herself although I admit there was a food shortage in some lines when I left Germany. Germany has retaliated with her submarines to starve out England. She does not want to kill women and children with her submarines or her Zeppelins, but she is forced to do it. I have heard submarine commanders say that they regretted exceedingly that they had to send ships down and endanger the lives of women and children."

Dr. Barnitz pictured the Germans as polite and courteous in all their dealings with foreigners, in sharp contrast to the gruffness and discourtesy of the English.

"Where is the Kaiser during the war?" he asked himself. "Is he living at home in luxury? No, most of the time he is at the front with his troops living as they do. Where is King George? Ensnared in pillows and surrounded by all luxury, he sits at home. When he does go to the front he falls off his horse."

Referring to the contention of America that neutrals are entitled to travel the seas unmolested, Dr. Barnitz said that such was undoubtedly true. "But you must remember," he said, "that the world is not in its right mind. Would you run loose in a lunatic asylum? No you wouldn't. You might have a right to but you stay away. I do not call it true Americanism in a man who calls upon the rest of his country to fight and avenge the life of a relative who may have lost his life when a belligerent ship upon which he was sailing was sent down."

"The Irish are very cordially treated in Germany," Dr. Barnitz declared. "I was in Germany when Sir Roger Casement was there. He was not working for Germany but for his own nation—Ireland."

The reference to Ireland's part in the war elicited much applause.

"When the war comes to an end," he continued, "Ireland will have its chance. England will say to Germany, 'How about Belgium?' Germany will respond, 'Belgium, O yes, but how about Ireland?'"

Referring to the United States' chance of success in case of war with Germany, Dr. Barnitz predicted that as soon as war was declared American ports would be bottled up by submarines and Zeppelins. He ventured the assertion that Germany already has submarine bases close to the American coast. Taking up the statement that the Zeppelin is of no real use, he said, that Germany does

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DRAMATIC CLUB TO GIVE COMEDY AT MT. PLEASANT

"The Hoodoo" to be Presented
By a Cast of Talented
Amateurs.

PROMISE LOTS OF LAUGHS

Cast Indicates Some of the Possibilities of the Show: Every member is Said to Be Entirely Capable of Getting Most Out of Role; Notes.

Special to The Courier.
MOUNT PLEASANT, March 8.—The students of the Institute Dramatic club under the direction of Miss Mary Francis Golden, are preparing to give the Grand Opera House on March 20. This play is a laugh from start to finish and the members of the cast are all capable of taking the parts that have been assigned to them. The following is the cast:

Brighton Earl, about to be married, Edward A. Miller; Billy Jackson, the heart-breaker, Paul E. Mullin; Professor Solomon Spigot, an authority on Egypt, Preston S. Robertson; Hematou Spigot, his son, aged 17, J. Ray Houser; Malachi Meek, a lively old gentleman of 60, Ray Hutchinson; Mr. Dunn, the burglar, James R. McGee; Miss Amy Lee, about to be married, Angela McGee; Mrs. Partridge Shue, her aunt and Mr. Meek's daughter, Chama Harmon; Gwendolyn Perling-ton Shue, who does just as mamma says, Rachel Stoner; Doctor de Graft, the "dazzling dandy," Deulah Ritenour; Mrs. Irma Clinger, a fascinating young widow, Sarah Smith; Angelina, her angel child, aged eight, Virginia Harper; Miss Doris Ruffles, Amy's maid of honor, Mary Frances Madden; Mrs. Semfransu Spigot, the mother of seven, Blanche Updegraff; Elphinstia Spigot, her daughter, aged 16, Margaret Harmon; Miss Longacker, a public school teacher, Bertha Springer; Lulu, Mary E. Dillon; Aunt Fardale, the colored cook, Junita Hubbard; children, Lenore Weaver, Ruth Dillon and Robert Merrill.

A superintendant's conference at which every local superintendent of the Woman's Temperance Union is expected to be present and bring her yearly report blank will be held at the home of Mrs. G. W. Stoner on Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, March 8.—Mrs. W. M. Braken went to Connelleville yesterday and spent the with friends. She was accompanied home by Rev. Bracken who had been spending a few days at Greensburg.

P. V. Nedrow of Uniontown, was a business caller here yesterday.

D. L. Miller was a business caller in Uniontown yesterday.

M. and Mrs. Roy Lytle and three children have returned to their home in Jackson, after visiting friends here for a few days.

J. E. Furbaugh of Harrisville, is making preparations to move to Scotland, where he will make his future home.

Mrs. L. T. Huff of Humbert, was stopping and visiting friends in town yesterday.

H. R. Watson has returned to his work in Bradock, after visiting his family here for a few days.

Lee Hall of Charleston, Pa. visited friends at Fort Hill yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Crouse of Connelleville, brought the remains of their five months old child here yesterday. Interment took place in the Baptist cemetery.

Mrs. Alfred Youngkin and son Jack of Pittsburg, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pick.

B. & O. AND COKERS

Ballroom and Mount Braddock Play Tomorrow Evening.

The city league game tomorrow evening will be played between the Baltimore & Ohio team and the Mount Braddock five. Mount Braddock has not been seen since the Moose team was played and just exactly what the lineup will be is uncertain.

The preliminary game will be between the Lady Macabees and the Overholt girls. The Lady Macabees have strengthened and are going to go right after the Broad Ford team.

Ann White is now in that lineup and other subs are also trying out.

Next Tuesday evening the Elks make their first appearance, playing against the Connelleville Garage team.

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Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT, March 8.—Mrs. Shepherd and Mrs. Overton entertained Saturday evening in honor of their brother, L. A. Lockett's 18th birthday. White and pink primrose tied with tulle formed the attractive decorations. About 50 guests were present. The evening was spent in music and games after which a dainty luncheon was served. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Powell of Uniontown; Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Roanoke; Ray and Mrs. A. J. Payne of Connelleville. Mr. Lockett received many useful presents.

Call at J. F. Black's and see their new line of ladies shoes now on display. Prices \$1.00, \$4.25, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00.—Adv. & 11.

Mrs. Ralph Goo, Clyde Brown and Aaron L'Abrold were Connelleville callers yesterday.

The Farmers' Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Fied at Highland Farm on Saturday, March 17.

Mrs. Roy Strickler is visiting relatives in Dunbar.

Mrs. Fannie Leighty is confined to her home in Dunbar township with an attack of grip.

Harvey Sigafos has moved his family from Mount Pleasant to the house recently vacated by William Pegg and family. Mr. Sigafos is employed as fire boss for the W. J. Rainey company at Paul works.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shallenberger visited at the home of Grant Leighty in Dunbar township recently.

Mr. and Mrs. William Long of Connelleville are the proud parents of a son, born February 23. The family is now composed of two boys and two girls. The baby is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McBurney of Dunbar township.

Kent Collins of Uniontown was a business caller here recently.

Mrs. Elizabeth Longstaff has returned to her home in Connelleville after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sigafos for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Collins are expected to arrive home this afternoon from Mobile, Ala., where they have been spending the past several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. McClure.

Letters received from Miss Elsie McBurney, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Gilland at Akron Ohio, report she is having a fine time.

Pennsville.

PENNSVILLE, March 8.—The Local Workers Bible Class of the Mount Olive United Brethren Sunday school will hold their monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charles Babin at East End.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hatfield are at Mount Pleasant today attending the funeral of Mr. Hatfield's nephew, the nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thomas.

Mrs. O. P. Lenhart is spending a few days this week visiting her mother, Mrs. Houghton of near Scotland.

Miss Tillie Hoke left Wednesday for a few days' visit at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hoke in Pittsburg.

Miss Ruth Hatfield was a Scotland caller Tuesday afternoon.

There will be preaching services in the Mount Olive United Brethren Church on Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Again for \$1—While They Last

This Guaranteed Aluminum Cooker

The cost of Aluminum has doubled since we ordered these lifetime Cookers. At present prices, this offer would be impossible. So, in all probability, after our supply is exhausted, it cannot be made again.

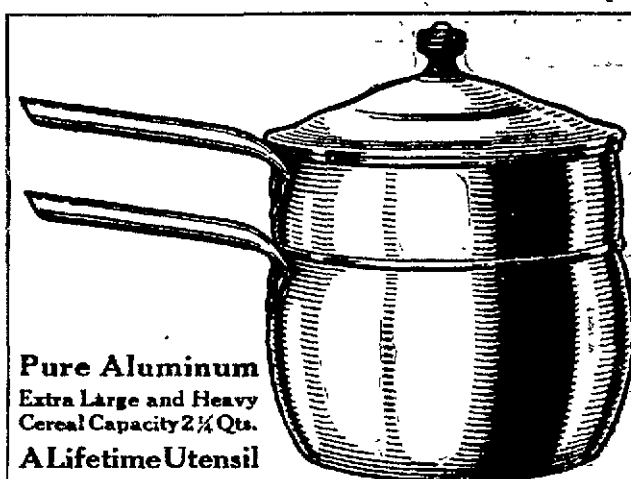
Next week the grocers of this city will once more feature this Mother's Oats Cooker offer. And for the last time, we believe.

We have supplied Cookers now to over 1,000,000 homes. We have supplied these guaranteed Aluminum Cookers for \$1 to Mother's Oats users. But this offer ends with our present supply, and probably forever. Unless Aluminum drops 50 per cent, we cannot again offer a Cooker like this for \$1.

But next week only we make the offer below. You can get this Cooker for \$1, by buying two of our cereals which should be cooked in it.

This offer is made to induce better cooking. To bring you Mother's Oats and Pettijohn's cooked in perfect form, with the flavor kept intact. Our reward will come in your doubled delight in these foods.

We ask the pictures just to show that you use our cereals. Unless you have the right flakes, right cooking does not help much. But, if you use Mother's Oats and Pettijohn's, this cooker is yours for \$1. This is for one week only. Get the packages from any grocer named below.



One Week Only—Your Last Chance

Our Offer Is This: Send us check or money order for \$1 and two pictures of the Cooker cut from Mother's Oats packages and one picture of the Bear from the front of the Pettijohn's package—or, if you prefer, you may send us five pictures of the Cooker from Mother's Oats packages alone. These pictures must be mailed next week. We will mail the Cooker by parcel post prepaid.

Address, Mother's Oats, 1708 Railway Exchange, Chicago

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The Extra-Delicious Vim-Food
Flaked from Queen Oats Only

Mother's Oats is made from queen grains only—just the big, plump, luscious oats.

No puny, starved grains are included. A bushel of the choicest oats yields only ten pounds of Mother's.

The result is a flavor that has won the world—a flavor which is matchless. Yet these large and luscious flakes cost you no extra price.

Natures stores in oats a wealth of vitality, which everybody needs. We want you to know this fascinating vim-food, made as we make it and cooked in our way.

These Grocers Will Feature the Cooker Offer Next Week

NAME	STREET ADDRESS	TOWN
J. S. Shaffer	514 Main street, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
R. Means	514 Main street, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
Jos. Bonyle	1002 Main street, West Side, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
Henry Rhodes	800 West Main street, West Side, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
Hoover & Bailey	287 E. Main street, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
J. R. Davidson Company	100 West Main street, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
M. L. Hughes	800 East Gibson avenue, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
Geo. H. Brown	Corner Pine and Spruance, South Connelleville, Pa.	South Connelleville, Pa.
J. M. Young	Colonial Bldg., S. Pittsburg street, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.

NAME	STREET ADDRESS	TOWN
A. Hager	317 North Pittsburg street, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
Peconomy Cash Grocery	Cor. Pittsburg and Peach streets, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
The Connelleville Market	136 S. Pittsburg street, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
S. B. Dull	201 East Main street, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
J. M. Sembover	308 South Pittsburg street, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
Kearl Brothers	601 South Pittsburg street, Connelleville, Pa.	Connelleville, Pa.
C. C. Collins	South Connelleville, Pa.	South Connelleville, Pa.
Burt Marshall	South Connelleville, Pa.	South Connelleville, Pa.
W. R. Hyatt	South Connelleville, Pa.	South Connelleville, Pa.

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, March 8.—A miscellaneous shower was tendered Mrs. Ralph Pfahler, who was recently married, on Tuesday evening at her home on Broadway. The evening was pleasantly spent in social conversation and music and later refreshments were served.

Master Albert Blitner, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Blitner, was given a birthday party on Tuesday evening in honor of the seventh anniversary. Children's games were played and lunch was served which, the little folks enjoyed immensely.

Miss Elizabeth Shardt has returned from Johnstown where she had been employed for the past few months.

Misses Florence Boyer and Bernadette Crowe were Rockwood visitors last Sunday.

Miss Bertha Engle and brother, Jesse of Salisbury visited friends here several days during the week.

Miss Jeanne Holmes has arrived from New York where she was getting the latest styles in millinery and has now charge of that department in Miller & Collins store.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Miller attended the inauguration at Washington on Monday and will remain for a week's visit with relatives in that city.

Miss Angela Reich is home from a few days' visit with her friend, Miss Mary Miller in Rockwood.

Mrs. D. A. Fiedline and daughter, Miss Alice, have returned home from Cumberland where they visited with friends for a few days.

LITTLE STORIES ON FEEDING

Gained 26 Pounds

A Missouri druggist wrote us a few days ago that his wife had suffered a nervous breakdown and was in a precarious condition. His doctor advised him to use HEMO, a palatable malted food.

She had gone down to 95 pounds and after a few months' use of HEMO she now weighs 121 pounds and still gaining flesh. Her vitality has increased wonderfully and they are now converted to the idea that proper feeding is the thing.

HEMO is the right food for those generally debilitated from malnutrition, anemia, chlorosis, also for convalescents from surgical treatment, fevers and wasting diseases.

If your health is impaired, try HEMO and watch the improvement. We suggest that you try a 50c package with our guarantee of satisfaction.

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Secure booklet and full information from ticket agent.

DOWN'S' SHOE STORE

Clean-Up Sale of Winter Shoes

—FOR MEN AND WOMEN—

Our entire stock of Winter Shoes, consisting of our high grade lines, such as Queen Quality and Zeigler Bros., for women; Walk-Over, Bannisters and Tilts Shoes for men. This sale will include all Novelty Boots in the different colors for women; all Kid Boots, which are in great demand, Patent Leathers, Gun Metal and Tan English Boots for growing girls. For men it will include Red Koko and Cordovans together with all Gun Metal and Tan Lace and Button Shoes. The sale price on all these Winter Shoes will be a

\$1.00

Less than the regular selling price. It makes no difference what you select for men or women in Shoes, you will be entitled to \$1.00 off of the regular selling price (except new shoes that have already come in for Spring). This will enable men and women to buy Shoes for almost half the price that Shoes of the same grade for Spring and Summer will be.

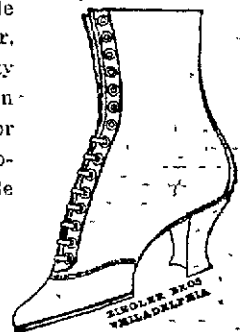
SALE BEGINS FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 9, AND CONTINUES TEN DAYS

Come early, while the sizes are good. Don't miss coming. You save money. Good Shoes will be high in price for Spring and Summer. No charges—all cash.

\$1.00 OFF

DOWN'S' SHOE STORE

Connellsville's Leading High Grade Shoe Store.



NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE MILL TOWN

Social Affairs Form Large Part
of the Day's Batch of
Items.

MRS. JANE HARDY DIES

Aged Woman Dies at Home on Pittsburg Street; Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary Elects Officers; Scotland High Basketball Team to Play Latrobe.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTTSVILLE, March 8.—Mrs. Lawrence Kestler entertained the Missionary society of the United Brethren Church at her home on Pittsburg street yesterday afternoon. This being the annual meeting, reports were received from each of the various departments. The total amount of money taken in for the year was \$1,453.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Albert Kestler; vice president, Mrs. H. M. Bush and Mrs. W. F. Stinner; secretary, Mrs. J. T. Bradley; and treasurer, Miss Ella King. Mrs. R. F. Grantham was elected mission study superintendent and Miss Martha Cowling thank offering secretary. Mrs. L. F. Love gave a missionary story and plans were laid for the work for the coming year.

Spring Opening.
The Miss Millers of the Brown Millinery Shop announce the Spring Opening Friday evening and Saturday, March 9 and 10, in their new store in the Overholt Building, they having formerly conducted a millinery business at that location. Your patronage is invited.—Adv.—8-21.

Civic Club to Meet.
The Civic Club meeting will be held next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the high school building. Miss Anna M. Slebert, of the Department of Labor and Industry at Harrisburg, will make an address on "Our Responsibility to Our Foreign Neighbor." Missionary Society Meets.

The Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal Church met at the church yesterday afternoon. The leader was Mrs. M. C. Warnock. Mrs. J. E. Tinsman read a letter. Plans were laid for a contest for new members, points to be given for attendance and for subscriptions to the missionary paper. The colors chosen for the contest are blue and gold. Mrs. W. H. Clingerman will captain the Blues and Mrs. M. C. Warnock the Golds. Mrs. Charles Stauffer was elected treasurer secretary and two new members were added to the society.

Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary.
The ladies of the Y. M. C. A. auxiliary held their annual meeting on Tuesday afternoon followed by a tea. The officers elected were: President, Mrs. Fred Haffer; vice president, Mrs. G. E. Hittelman; secretary, Anna Slesley; treasurer, Mrs. H. D. Engle. At the tea that followed refreshments were served and a pleasant social hour followed.

To Meet Latrobe.
The Scotland high school basketball team at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday evening at 8:15. A good game is promised.

Mrs. Jane B. Hardy.
Mrs. Jane B. Hardy, aged 79 years, who lived on Pittsburg street, died at her home there Tuesday night. Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Christian Church by Rev. Mr. Hughes and interment will be made in the Scotland cemetery.

Notes.
Mrs. Jesse Cook spent Tuesday in Pittsburg.

Miss Margaret Ames is visiting friends at Annville, W. Va.
Mrs. Cliff Hagerman has returned home after a visit paid friends in Pittsburg.

E. E. DeWitt was a caller in Connellsville yesterday.
Miss Lizzie Kuhn has returned home after a visit paid friends in Pittsburg.

Mrs. William Sleighter is visiting in Greensburg.
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Raygor have returned from a visit paid Cleveland, Ohio, friends.

Miss Hazel Van Horen is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Price in Meyersdale this week.

A. L. Kestler, returned home from Washington, D. C. on Tuesday evening.
Mrs. Fred Redshaw and Mrs. J. Haybould spent yesterday at Mount Pleasant with friends.

Mrs. H. L. Allison of Youngwood is visiting friends here.

On next Sunday morning the annual thank offering services will be held at the Methodist Episcopal Church. Rev. C. A. Tushingham of Pittsburg will give an address.

NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH

Apply Cream in Nostrils To
Open Up Air Passages.

Can't breathe? Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hacking, rattling, mucous discharge, headache, dryness—no struggling for your breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone.

Don't stay stuffed up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils; let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.—Adv.

MOBILIZING COAL MINES

War Department Operating Through
the Geological Survey to Secure
Data as Origin of Production.

In order to have information with regard to mines producing coal in a form which will be of most service to the War Department, in case it should call for it, the Geological Survey is rushing a re-compilation of its list of coal mines. At present, coal mines are classified as to states. They are now to be classified, in addition, on a railroad basis. In time of war, it would be necessary to have information regarding all the mines along a certain line of railway. Even under normal conditions there is frequent demand for this information and such a reclassification of the coal mining lists of the Survey has been under contemplation for some time.

The War Department would have to rely heavily upon the Geological Survey for information as to the production of coal and other minerals in case of war. The only complete information regarding these matters possessed by the government is in the hands of the Geological Survey. It is recognized that one of the most necessary steps which would have to be taken, if active military operations should become necessary, would be an arrangement whereby all by-product coke ovens could be kept continuously supplied with coal. Since the Survey has complete information as to the sources of supply for all by-product ovens, it would be in a position to be of material aid to the War Department in case the mobilization of the country's resources should be demanded.

Instant demand for more detail in the monthly coal statement issued by the Geological Survey will be complied with to as great an extent as possible in the future. In showing the points of origin of coal, it is necessary to make arbitrary grouping of states, due to the fact that the data is furnished by railroads. Thus it is necessary to show in one group the coal originating in the states traversed by the same line of railroad as it is impossible to secure a grouping by states from the railroads when it is necessary to have the information so promptly an required for the monthly coal statement.

COKE SUBSTITUTE

Chicago Foundrymen Using Refuse of
Oil Refinery in Emergency.

Shortage of coke for foundry use has brought to the attention of Chicago foundrymen a substitute that has served well and has been sought eagerly, says a correspondent of the Daily Iron Trade. It is the residue left in the still when oil is refined. Its trade name is petroleum carbon and it is sometimes called coke. To appearance the material is much like coke, cellular and of light weight. It contains 95 per cent and higher of carbon, and about 0.025 of sulphur while the ash is practically nothing. The residue has been sold in the past principally for domestic use in stoves and furnaces and as the total supply in Chicago is about seven cars a day, each car containing about 25 tons, its application is limited. Foundrymen who have tried the fuel mixed with coke are well pleased and if more were available it would grow to be an important fuel.

Tests show an efficiency of about 16,000 British thermal units. It is selling at about \$7.50 per ton, delivered, Chicago.

CAR ORDERS

Fell Off From December and Also from
January of Last Year.

The railroads of the country ordered 14,095 freight cars in January compared with 16,195 in December and 14,613 in January, 1916. Foreign buyers in this country during January compared with 6,600 in December and 1,100 in January of last year. January rail orders totaled 360 thousand tons compared with 600 thousand tons in December and 241 thousand tons a year ago.

Locomotives ordered in January numbered 612 compared with 511 in December and 231 in January last year. Foreign interests placed 47 locomotive orders in January compared with 164 in December, while only two locomotives were ordered for export in January, 1916.

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Pain in Side,
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Insist on Having
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**Hall's Sore
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Sold by Connellsville, Scottsdale, Mt. Pleasant, Greensburg, Union, Dunbar, Vanderbilt and Perryopolis Druggists.
25 and 50 Cent Sizes.
Hall Drug Co.
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FIVE CHWING GUM TABLETS
GOOD FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

The Licorice Gum

BUD FISHER, creator of Mutt and Jeff, says: "Adams Black Jack Chewing Gum suits me far better than any other gum. It is both tasty and good for the throat."

Bud Fisher

Indian Creek.

INDIAN CREEK, March 8.—Mrs. J. K. Prinkay of Mill Run left for Youngwood yesterday and will spend a few days among friends there.

Mrs. William Slaughter of Mill Run spent yesterday among Connellsville friends and shopping.

J. S. Dull of Mill Run was transacting business in Connellsville yesterday.

W. H. Morrison of Bidwell was a business caller here last evening.

A. L. Shober of Mill Run was a business caller in Connellsville and Uniontown yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman McLean of Jones Mill left for Cheat Haven yesterday and will spend a few days with friends.

Harry Dugan was a business visitor in Connellsville yesterday.

Mrs. Lawrence Ullery and daughter, Grace, of Jones Mill left for Pittsburg yesterday and will spend some time among friends.

John Johnson of Mill Run was a business caller in Connellsville yesterday.

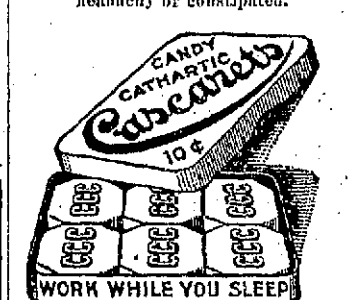
The Grangers of Mill Run will hold a festival in the city hall at Mill Run Friday evening.

J. M. Illig, who has been laid up for the past two months with an injured ankle, was calling on friends here yesterday.

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Best, Safest Cathartic for
Liver and Bowels, and
People Know It.


They're fine! Don't stay bilious, sick,
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CANDY
CATHARTIC
CASCARETS
10c
WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP


Enjoy life! Keep clean inside with Cascarets. Take one or two at night and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Wake up feeling grand. Your head will be clear, your tongue clean, breath right, stomach sweet and your liver and thirty feet of bowels active. Get a box at any drug store and straighten up. Stop the headaches, bilious spells, bad colds and bad days—Brighten up. Cheer up, Clean up! Mothers should give a whole Cascaret to children when cross, bilious, feverish or if tongue is coated—they are harmless—never gripe or sicken.—Adv.

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"THE BIG STORE"
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Remarkable for the fine qualities, daintiness, beauty of new patterns and colorings, and very moderate prices.

Sheer Voiles in the prettiest of plaids, stripes and floral effects in the seasons newest shades, as

Gold	Belgian	Grey
Rose	Raspberry	Shadow Green
Mustard	Copen	Tan

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NEWEST NOVELTY WEAVES

In white pique, basketweave and gabardines.

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Amazing Power of Bon-Opto To Make Weak Eyes Strong

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Eyesight 50 per cent in One
Week's Time in Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have
Filled and Use at Home

Victims of eye strain and other eye weaknesses and those who wear glasses, will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope and help for them. Many whose eyes were failing, say they have had their eyes restored by this remarkable prescription and many who once wore glasses say they have thrown them away. One man, after using it, "I was almost blind. Could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without my glasses, and my eyes do not hurt any more. At night they would pain dreadfully. Now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "With my cataracts seemed busy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can read even fine print without glasses." Another who used it says: "I was bothered with eye strain caused by overworked, tired eyes, which induced severe headaches. I have worn glasses for several years, both for distance and work, without them I could not read any line, eyes red, hot, blurred vision or for eyes inflamed from exposure to smoke, sun, dust or wind. It is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family. Bon-Opto, referred to above, is not a patent medicine or a secret remedy but is an efficient medicine for the eye, the only one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family. Bon-Opto, referred to above, is not a patent medicine or a secret remedy but is an efficient medicine for the eye, the only one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family. Bon-Opto, referred to above, is not a patent medicine or a secret remedy but is an efficient medicine for the eye, the only one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family.

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Extra Pair \$5.00 Trousers

ABSOLUTELY FREE

Realizing the fact that there were a great many men in Connellsville who were unable to get in on our liberal offer of a PAIR of \$5.00 TROUSERS with every Suit or Overcoat order during our last sale and desiring to serve the people in a way that will show our appreciation of the liberal patronage extended us in the past we have decided to give away ABSOLUTELY FREE a PAIR of OUR REGULAR \$5.00 TROUSERS OR FANCY VEST with every Suit order taken beginning THURSDAY, MARCH 8th, and CONTINUING TO AND INCLUDING SATURDAY, MARCH 17th.

PAIR OF
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Don't Forget Our Big Range of Styles in the Higher Grades

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Nothing being held in reserve but you have your choice of all the new Spring Goods which are arriving daily.

JUST IN TIME FOR EASTER—We also call your attention to the fact that Easter Sunday comes early this year—April 8th. Now is the time to place your order for that new Easter Suit. In case you do not care to take the suit until Easter we will gladly hold it for you until that time. Come in and place your order and your suit will be made up and ready for you when you want it.

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IRENE FENWICK AND OWEN MOORE
"A GIRL LIKE THAT"
Famous Players - Paramount

THE PARAMOUNT.

"MONEY MAGIC"—A Vitaphone Blue Ribbon feature presenting Edith Storey, Vitaphone's versatile star. The scenery in "Money Magic" is beautiful to behold, the great hills and valleys of California forming a fitting background for the thrilling action of the story. The role of Miss Storey is that of a young girl brought up on a ranch who marries a wealthy miner also lacking in the ways of convention and society. The struggle which she suffers in her attempt to learn the ways and wherefores in the lives of her cultured neighbors is realistically portrayed in a humorous manner, interspersed with touches of pathos. There is no star on the screen who could interpret this part better than Miss Storey. As she slowly masters the thousand details for herself she is thrown in contact with her husband's people. They are far more ignorant than she ever thought of being and evidently jar upon her but conscious of her own shortcomings a few months previous, she makes an effort to place them at their ease and at the same time impart to them some knowledge of etiquette. Mr. Moreno, who plays with Miss Storey comes from one of the most aristocratic families of Spain, and is one of the most popular screen stars of the present time. A comedy is included in the program. Tomorrow Charlie Chaplin, the famous comedian, will be seen in "Easy Street," his latest comedy, and Irene Fenwick and Owen Moore will be starred in "A Girl Like That," a five part Paramount attraction.

ORPHEUM THEATRE.

"PATRIA," NO. 6.—Featuring Mrs. Vernon Castle, is the attraction today. The story makes a decided move in this number, entitled "Alma Nuncio." In that Elaine, the dancer and counterpart of Patria, is killed. The action is melodramatic and the chief spectacular feature is a masked ball, which affords Mrs. Castle opportunity to wear an elaborate costume. Ann Murdock, famous emotional star of the speaking stage will be featured today in the five reel Mutual production "Where Love Is." It is an adaptation of the famous novel of the same name by William J. Locke. It tells the story of a society girl's dilemma when confronted with a choice between a marriage for love and one for wealth. Tomorrow Winifred Greenwood is featured in the five reel drama, "A Woman's Darling." It is a powerful drama of a woman's misrepresented past and tragic vindication. The many gripping scenes and tense situations in this absorbing love tragedy gives the beautiful star, Miss Greenwood, an excellent opportunity to display her wonderful talent as a powerful emotional actress. Friday and Saturday a two reel Fox film comedy entitled, "There's Many a Fool," featuring Hank Mann and Carmen Phillips will also be shown. Saturday will be a return date for the William Fox feature "The Love Thief." Those who did not see it before will have the chance now.

SOUSA COMING.

Sousa and that wonderful band of which the individual artists have become so used to each other that ensemble approaches near perfection as the oldest inhabitant has known, will be brought to Conneltsville for an afternoon concert at the armory, March 11 bringing with him a number of leading vocalists to give performances of the Sousa type so greatly missed in the last two seasons because of the Sousa affiliation with the

New York Hippodrome production "Hip Hip, Hoory." Charles Dillingham, the directing power of the Hippodrome spectacles has arranged for a brief tour of a single week of the Sousa organization and because of the plans made far in advance it is not probable that it can be reported for several years to come. Next season Mr. Sousa and his band will be located at the New York Hippodrome.

The program to be given here will be typically Sousaesque in presenting certain numbers of brilliant musicianship that could easily take place in Grand Opera presentations and changing in the next number to one of the most modern and joyous melodies but the requests that flood a theatre before the coming of Sousa always makes it sure that some of the marches now played over all the civilized world bearing the Sousa trade mark will not be omitted. And then also the Sousa organization is to be heard in a number of the famous New York Hippodrome melodies.

SOISSON THEATRE.

"MAX COMES ACROSS"—Max Linder will be the attraction at the Soisson today in the two reel special



comedy, "Max Comes Across." The incidents of the picture are based on Mr. Linder's voyage from France to America. From all pictured accounts he had a very varied trip of it. Among other things he met a fascinatingly

pretty young girl with whom he carried on a flirtation that eventually ended in a kiss. Mr. Linder has no superior in picking pretty girls. The young lady of the lead fortifies this statement with as much pitchforkitude as any one could ask for while a number of extra girls are noticeable for their beauty. Be sure and see this comedy. No one can have as much fun with a suit of clothes many times too large for him as Mr. Linder. He can walk around the deck of the ship and drop his trousers a reef or two with every step and make you laugh. Liberty No. 10. Featuring Marie Walcamp and Eddie Polo will also be shown. Also "The Lolly of Patchette," a two reel imp drama and two other good pictures. Tomorrow the Bluebird drama "God a Cruelty" featuring Myrtle Gonzales and Val Paul will be the attraction.

THE ARCADE.

"BATTLE CRY OF PEACE"—Big crowds are today attending the first performance of "The Battle Cry of Peace," at the Arcade Theatre. This patriotic military spectacle, based upon Hudson Maxims's book, "Defenceless America," is possibly the most stupendous picture ever seen in Conneltsville and its presentation at this time is most timely, when the President and Congress are confronted by the most serious situation in our foreign affairs since the Revolution.

The need of immediately acquainting the nation with the necessity of being prepared for war has caused army officers to take a great interest in the picture and they urged that it be presented at five and ten cents.

National guardsmen, veterans of foreign wars and all those who are alive to the position our country has been placed by the world war are urging all their friends to see the picture. School teachers are likewise urging their pupils to witness it believing that it is an excellent way to instill patriotism.

WINDSORS WIN

Took First Three Games From Nets in First Game of New Season.

The Windsors started out the new O & W duckpin league last evening by defeating the Nets in straight games, all won by good margins. The Nets rolled good scores big enough to win some games but the Windsors also increased when the Nets did and took all matches.

The game was the first of the new season, the first ending during the middle of the winter. For high score last evening J. Opperman easily took honors rolling 167. F. Opperman was second, with 117. The score:

NETS				
P. Opperman	135	132	150	117
Robinson	118	98	108	342
B. Spittler	95	—	88	183
Bailey	114	92	—	206
Courtneve	113	104	127	344
Brickman	—	111	105	226
Total	625	615	678	1713
WINDSORS				
J. Opperman	131	115	183	457
Klineide	111	91	139	341
Lucius	119	85	95	302
Flannery	135	151	97	383
P. Opperman	147	121	131	399
Total	616	676	653	1876

U. A. C. CHALLENGES.

Colored Team Wishes Game With Uniontown Team For March 13.

The Union Athletic Club, the local colored team has challenged the colored team of Uniontown for a game to be played here on March 13. Whether the Uniontown boys will accept the challenge or not is not certain.

The U. A. C. team has been practicing for a game to be scheduled with Greensburg for the colored championship of the two counties. No date has yet been arranged but the game will be played at the Slavish Hall.

Collins' Sundaes Are Famous

The ordinary sundae consists of ice cream with syrup poured over it. Our sundaes are different.

RIECK'S

The Cream of All Ice Creams

ICE CREAM is the foundation for them and you know how good Rieck's is. But in our syrups we manage to impart a flavor that you can't get elsewhere.

That's the reason two Uniontown women got off the car here the other day, on their way to Scottdale, just to get one of Collins' sundaes.

We'd heard so much about them, we simply had to get off and try them.

Try one yourself. You'll understand why our fountain trade is the biggest in the city.

COLLINS' DRUG STORE

SOUTH PITTSBURG STREET.

REWARD for HONESTY

Purity and Delightfulness Make
CAMEL Cigarettes
The Most Popular and Best Selling
Cigarette Ever Sold at any Price

THIS enviable position has caused false and defamatory statements to be circulated about CAMELS, in order to injure their sale. As our investigation of these reports progresses, it becomes more and more apparent that "men higher up" originated the scheme and have superintended its execution. They were able to slander CAMELS in two ways: By hiring the irresponsible to lie about them, and by, perhaps, fraudulently inducing honest men to circulate the lie. But an honest man is always honest. Once he learns that he has been duped into misrepresentation, he not only stops it, but quits the employment of and exposes those who have misled him into being an innocent party to the fraud.

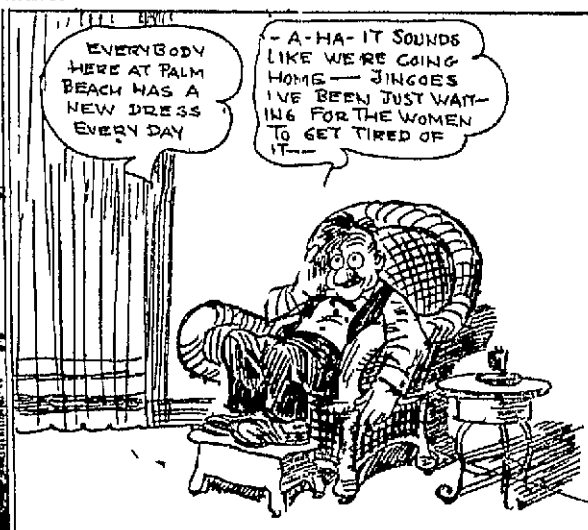
Slander will not take the PURITY and DELIGHTFULNESS out of CAMELS. It may, for a little while, hurt their sale among those who are easily deceived. But PURE TOBACCOS, scientifically blended, will continue to make CAMELS the most popular and desirable cigarette on the market, regardless of price. The man who smokes them knows. To him there is no substitute, and no other brand can be long substituted for CAMELS by slander and misrepresentation.

An honest man will not work for a company that uses dishonest methods to sell its product, but he need not look for a job. Jobs, and good jobs, are looking for honest men. We have no desire to deal with the cheap crook. But we want more evidence on the "men higher up." If any honest man, who has been induced by those higher up to circulate a lie about CAMEL Cigarettes, will, to our satisfaction, establish that fact, we will make it well worth his while, and he will be fully protected.

To you, Mr. Smoker, we say, CAMELS ARE PURE, and you know they are DELIGHTFUL.

R. J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO COMPANY
Winston-Salem, N. C.

PETEY DINK—Another Blow That Almost Killed Father.



By C. A. Voight.

HEART of the SUNSET by REX BEACH

Author of "The Spoilers," "The Iron Trail,"
"The Silver Horde," Etc.



"Do you mean to say that war has been declared?"

"Practically." "What—? You are telling me the truth?" A moment, then Alaire closed his eyes. "If that is so, she is all the more reason why I should lose no time."

"Listen!" The general was deeply earnest. "You have no conception of the chaos out there. It is a comprehensive picture. At the explosion has not come, it will come within a few hours. That is why I fly to your side. Battleships are hurrying toward our coast, troops are massing against our border, and Mexico has risen like one man. The people are in a frenzy; they are out of bounds; there is sack and pillage in the cities. Americans are objects of violence everywhere and the people are frantic." He paused impressively. "We face the greatest upheaval of history."

"Then why are you here?" Alaire demanded. "This is no place for you at such a moment."

Longorio came closer to her, and his voice trembled as he said: "Angel of my soul, my place is at your side. Agnita, she recoiled, but with a fever he had never dared display he rushed on heedlessly. "I have told you I listen only to my heart; that for one smile from you I would stake myself; that for your favor I would bet my fatherland; that for your kiss I would face damnation. Well, I am here at your side. The deluge comes, but you shall be unharmed. He would not permit her to check him, crying: "Wait! You must hear me through, senora, so that you may comprehend fully why I am forced to speak at this time. Out of this coming struggle I shall emerge a heroic figure. Now that Mexico unites, she will triumph, and of all her victories she will have the name of Luis Longorio will be sung the loudest, for upon him more than upon any other depends the republic's salvation. I do not boast, I merely state facts. For I have made all my plans and tomorrow I put them into effect. That is why I cannot wait to speak. The struggle will be long, but you shall be my guiding star in the hours of darkness."

Under other circumstances the man's magnificent egoism might have provoked a smile. And yet, for all its grandeur, there was something in his speech that was hard and true. Agnita, doubtless, Longorio was dangerous—a cold personality, and no more swayed by a pretence. Alaire felt a certain reluctant respect for him, and at the same time a touch of chilling fear such as she had hardly experienced before. She faced him silently for a moment; then she said:

"Am I to understand that you forbid me to leave my own house?"

"For the time being, exactly."

"What? Then I am your prisoner?" "No, no." He made a gesture of denial. "How ridiculous! I merely keep you from certain destruction. You cannot go by train, because the railroad has suspended public service, nor can you ride or drive. I tell you, senora, the people are aroused. For the moment you must accept my protection, whether you like it or not. I cannot, however," Longorio smiled warmly, meaningly—"perhaps you will not be in such haste to refuse it, or to leave La Fortia. Wait until you understand me better. Then—But enough of this. You are unwell, you wish to be alone with your thoughts, and what I have to say can wait for a few hours. In the meantime, may I be the hospitality of your ranch for myself and my men?"

Alaire acquiesced mechanically. Longorio saluted her fingers in his customary manner, and then, with a look eloquent of things unsaid, he went out to see to the comfort of his command.

Alaire sank into the nearest chair, her nerves quivering, her mind in a turmoil. This Mexican was detestable, and he was far from being the mere maker of audaciously gallant speeches, the postively feigning power of every woman she had blindly supposed him. His was no sham armor; the man was hotly, boldly in earnest. There had been a glint of madness in his eyes. And he actually seemed to think that she shared his infatuation. It was intolerable. Yet Longorio, she was sure, had an abundance of discretion; he would not care to offer her violence. He had pride, too, and in his way he was something of a gentleman. So far, she had avoided giving him offense. But if once she made plain to him how utterly loathsome to her was his pursuit, she was sure that he would cease to annoy her. Alaire was self-confident, strong-willed; she took courage.

Her thoughts turned from her fears to the astounding reality of her widowhood. Even yet she could not wholly credit the fact that Ed's wasted life had come to an end and that she was free to make the most of her own. Alaire remembered her husband now with more tenderness, more clarity, than she would have believed possible, and it seemed to her pitiful that one so blessed with opportunity should have worked such havoc with himself and with those near to him.

Doubtless it was all a part of some providential scheme, too blind for her to solve. Perhaps, indeed, his own trials had been designed to the end that her greater, truer love, when it did come, would find her ripe, responsive, ready. As for this Mexican general, she would put him in his place. Alaire was still walking the floor of her chamber when Dolores entered, it dusk, to say that supper was ready and that General Longorio was waiting.

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her servant. But Longorio himself spoke from the next room, saying: "Senora, I beg of you to honor me. I have much of importance to say, and time presses. Control your grief and give me the pleasure of your company."

After an instant's consideration, Alaire yielded. It was best to have him matter over with, once for all.

CHAPTER XXI.

The Doors of Paradise. Alaire began the mockery of playing chess with extreme dislike, and as he had never played, she experienced a growing uneasiness. Longorio's bearing had changed since his arrival. He was still extravagantly courteous, respectfully attentive; he maintained a flow of conversation that relieved her of any effort, and yet he displayed a "repressed excitement" that was disturbing. In his eyes there was a gleaming look of passion hard to endure. Despite her feigning, he appeared to be holding himself within the bounds of propriety only by an effort of the will, and she was not surprised when, at the conclusion of the meal, he cast restraint aside.

She did not let him go far with his wooing before warning him: "I won't listen to you. You are a man of taste; you must realize how offensive this is to me. Let us not discuss such matters," he insisted. "We are alone. Let us be honest. Do not ask me to put faith in your grief. I find my excuse in the extraordinary nature of this situation."

"Nothing can excuse indecency," she answered, evenly. "You transgress the commonest rules of decency."

But he was impatient. "What scandal! You do not love your husband. You were for years his prisoner. Through the bars of your prison I saw and loved you. Dios! The first night of your face altered the current of my life. I saw heaven in your eyes, and I have dreamed of nothing else ever since. Well, Providence opened the doors and set you free; God gave heed to my prayers and delivered you to me. Now you pretend to grieve at my deliverance; you ask me to respect the memory of your jailer! Deceit? Deceit? What are they except artificialities, which vanish in times of stress? Alexander the Great, Caesar, Napoleon, Portillo Diaz—they were strong, purposeful men; they lived as I live. Senora, you daily wish love."

Alaire's face was white with anger as she replied: "You came to me to forget that you are my guest. Are you the man I considered you or the man you are reported to be?"

"El?" "Are you the gentleman, the friend, you pretended to be, or—the villain whom the woman can trust? You treat me as if you were my jailer. What do you mean? What kind of man are you to take advantage of my bereavement?"

After a moment's consideration, Longorio began haltingly: "I don't know what kind of a man I am, for you have changed me so. There was a time—"

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and so I wait, trembling. I say this so badly that I doubt if you understand. Listen, then: to possess you by force would be well, as I I sacked a cathedral of its golden images and expected to gain heaven by clutching the cross in my arms. Senora, in you I see the priceless jewel of my love, which I shall wear to dazzle the world, and without which I shall be empty myself. Now let me tell you what I can offer you, what setting I can build for this treasure. Marriage with Luis Longorio—"

Alaire could not control a start. As if quickened by his intensity, the man read her thoughts. "You did not imagine that I offered you anything less?"

"What was I to think? Your reputation—"

"Blood of my heart!" breathed the general. "So! That is what you meant a moment ago. That is why you refuse my embraces. No, no! Other women have feared me, and I have laughed in their hair as they tore at my arms, but you—you will be my wife, and all Mexico shall bow at your feet." He checked her denial with a gesture. "Wait until I tell you the vision I have seen during these days of despair. I see Mexico made whole by my hands; a land of peace and plenty; a people with one name upon their lips—the name of Longorio the Deliverer; and you as the first lady of them all. You know me for a man of tremendous ability in every line. Well, I know myself, too. I have measured myself carefully, and I have no weakness. There is no other like me in this land. He is a real hero, a hero of no culture. Can you, senora, his child? The land of the hero and a dreamer of no force. Potent? He is president today, but what of tomorrow? Those who surround him are weaklings, and he stumbles toward oblivion. Who will succeed him? Who will issue from the coming struggle as the dominant figure of Mexico? Who but that military genius who elected the president and saved the fatherland? I am he. Fate points the path of glory and I am her man of destiny. You see, then, what I bring you—power, position, riches. Can you? Wait until my hands are in the treasury. I will load you with gold and jewels, and I will make you the richest woman in the world. Senora, I offer you dominion. I offer you the president's palace and Chapultepec. And with all that, I offer you such passionate love as no woman of history ever possessed."

He paused, spent by the force of his own intensity; it was plain that he expected an immediate surrender. Alaire's lips parted in the faintest of smiling smiles. "You have great confidence in yourself," she said.

"Yes. I know myself as no one knows me."

"Why do you think I care for you?" Longorio's eyes opened. His expression plainly showed that he could not imagine any woman in her senses falling to adore him.

"Don't you take much for granted?" Alaire insisted.

The Mexican shook his head. Then his face lightened. "Ah! Now I see. Your modesty forbids you to acknowledge your love—is that it? Well, I know that you admire me, for I can see it. All women admire me, and they all end by loving me. His chest arched imperceptibly; with a slender finger he delicately smoothed his black eyebrows. Alaire felt a wild impulse to laugh, but she did not. "You have submitted it when he continued, 'I am impetuous, but impetuosity has made me what I am. I, net, and then mold fate to suit my own ends. Opportunity has delivered to me my heart's desire, and I will not be cheated out of it. Among the men I brought with me to La Fortia is a priest. He is, I say, for I caught him as he was fleeing toward the border; but he is a priest, and he will marry us tonight.'"

Alaire managed to gasp, "Surely you are not in earnest?"

"Indeed I am! That is why I insisted that you dine with me this evening. I cannot waste more time here, for necessity calls me away. You shall go as my wife."

"Do you think I would marry on the very day I find myself a widow?"

"The world will never know."

"You dare say that? Her tone was one of disgust of finality. "I wonder how I have listened to so much. It is horrible."

"You are still a little hysterical, and you exaggerate. If I had more time, I could afford to wait. He gazed her with his luminous gaze. "I would let you play with me to your heart's content and exercise your power until you tired and were ready to surrender."

Alaire raised her head proudly, her nostrils dilated, her eyes ablaze with hostility. "This is very humiliating, but you force me to tell you that I hate you."

Longorio was incredulous rather than offended. He drew himself up to his full height and smiled, saying:

"That is impossible." Then, ignoring her impatience: "Come! You cannot deceive me. The priest is waiting."

When Alaire spoke next, it was with an expression and with a tone of such loathing that his yellow face paled. "Your conceit is insupportable," she breathed.

After a brief struggle with himself, the Mexican cried, hoarsely: "I will not be refused. You wish me to tame you, eh? Good! You have found your master. Make your choice, then, which shall it be, surrender or—compulsion?"

"So! You have been lying, as I thought. Compulsion! Now the real Longorio speaks."

He flung up his hands as if to ward off her fury. "No! Have I not made myself clear? I shall embrace you only with the arms of a husband, for this is not the passion of a moment, but of a lifetime, and I have myself to consider. The wife of Mexico's next president must be above reproach; there must be no scandal, no secrets hidden away for enemies to unearth. She must stand before the people as a perfect woman; she must lend prestige to his name. When I speak of compulsion, then, I mean the right of a husband."

Alaire uttered an exclamation of disgust and turned away, but he intercepted her, saying: "You cannot hold me at bay. It is destiny. You shall be mine tonight. Think a moment! We are alone in the heart of a country where in every law but mine. Your ends do not know where you are, and even if they knew, they could not help you. Your nation's peace would not be at stake. Outside of these walls are enemies who will not let you leave his house except under the protection of my name."

"Then I shall never leave it," she said.

For the first time Longorio spoke harshly: "I lose patience. In God's name have I not waited long enough? My strength is gone." Impulsively he had circled her with his arms, and she seemed armored with ice, and he dropped them. She could hear him grind his teeth. "I dare not lay hands upon you," he chattered. "Angel of my dreams, I am faint with longing. To love you and yet to be denied; to feel myself alone and yet to see you with another! What torture!"

The fellow's self-control in the midst of his frenzy frightened Alaire more than did his wildest avowals; it was in something of a panic that she said:

"One moment you tell me I am safe, the next you threaten me. You say I am free, and yet you coerce me. Prove your love. Let me go!"

"No! No! I shall call the priest!" Longorio turned toward the door, but half-way across the floor he was halted by a woman's shriek which issued from somewhere inside the house. It was repeated. There was an outburst in a parabolic voice, then the patter of footsteps approaching down the tiled hallway. Dolores burst into her mistress's presence, her face blanched, her hair disheveled. She flung herself into Alaire's arms, crying:

"Senora! Save me! God's curse on the ruffian. Oh—"

"Dolores!" Alaire exclaimed. "What has happened?"

Longorio demanded, irritably: "Yes, why are you yelling like this?"

"A man—See! One of those dirty peddlars. Look where he tore my dress! I warned him, but he was like a tiger. Benito will kill him when he learns—"

"Calm yourself. Speak sensibly. Tell me what happened."

"One of those miserable soldiers who come tonight—pigs!" Dolores was shaking, her voice was shrill. "He followed me about like a rat, purring and grinning and saying the most horrible things. Just now, when I went to your room, he was waiting in the darkness and he seized me. My money!"

"A soldier? One of my men?" Longorio was incredulous.

Alaire turned upon him with a blazing anger in her face. "Is this more of your stories?" she stormed. "I give you and your men the freedom of my ranch, and you insult me while they rob my women?"

He ignored her accusation, inquiring of the elder woman, "Who was the fellow?"

"How do I know," Dolores sobbed. "He is a—thick, black fellow with a scar on his lip, like a snarl."

"Felipe?"

"Yes, Felipe! I believe they called him that."

Longorio strode to the end of the living room, flung open the wooden shutter of a window, and, leaning far out, whistled sharply on his fingers.

"Oiga! Teniente! Ho, you fellows!" he shouted.

From the darkness a voice answered: a man, evidently on guard, came running.

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ENTRY INTO WAR MEANS DISASTER, LECTURER SAYS

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not have a fleet of 200 of them for nothing.

Germany's war is principally on England, according to the lecturer. She pitied France. Although Paris is nearer than England, the Zeppelins have made but one raid on the French capital.

"War means disaster to this nation," declared Dr. Barantz in closing. "If we are unprepared in it the last hope of civilization is gone."

The lecture was interspersed with interesting descriptions of war conditions. The trenches and means of carrying on the war, and general conditions in the belligerent countries were described together with a graphic account of aeroplane flights and the meeting of an immense German Zeppelin a mile and a quarter above the earth while Dr. Barantz was in a German flying machine.

Three hundred and forty persons attended, among them many local residents who miss no opportunity to inform themselves of the war from all its angles. In the front row, eager to catch every word the lecturer had to say, were Alderman Fred Mink, Chief of Police D. Rottler, S. Levy, Samuel Oppenheimer, James S. Gave, William Hershberg, William Niland and George Fauthner. J. W. Kalliston introduced the speaker.

After the lecture Dr. Barantz told a Courier reporter that he believes that Germany will ultimately win the war if America is fair. He said he is delivering his lectures on his "own book" and under no duress. "The bureau ought to let me," he said. "They think I'm a German propagandist." Dr. Barantz went to Germany by special arrangement with Don C. Seitz, of the New York World.

Dunbar.

DUNBAR, March 8.—Miss Mary Siger of Conneltsville, was calling on friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Margaret Mithell returned from McKeesport, after attending the funeral of her sister, Mr. Jones returned home from Washington, D. C. Dr. W. W. Warner returned home from Florida, after spending the past month there.

Elyce Kemp Dixon of Conneltsville, was calling on friends here yesterday.

Mrs. R. S. Cooper visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hicks of Uniontown.

C. R. Frost was a business caller here yesterday.

The ladies of the Methodist Episcopal Church held an all day quilting in the church yesterday.

Mrs. Emma Duncan left yesterday for Tulsa, Oklahoma, where she will visit relatives for a month.

Mrs. Nancy Patterson suffered a paralytic stroke last Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Martin of Woodvale street.

Mrs. Ralph Miller of Dixonville, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Foltz.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Protestant Church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joseph Hair.

Rockwood.

ROCKWOOD, March 8.—The Ladies Aid Society of the Lutheran Church was entertained at the home of Mrs. I. D. Hechler on Wednesday evening, at which time the society decided to serve the I. O. O. F. banquet to be given on Wednesday evening, March 21.

Postmaster R. R. Sousser returned home Tuesday morning from Washington, where he attended the inauguration of President Wilson.

The West Penn Coal Company has begun the opening of their coal field along the Western Maryland railroad, about one mile south of Rockwood, and expect to be ready to ship coal within a week or 10 days.

The sub-contract for the finishing of the Lutheran Church has been awarded to the Meyersdale Planning Mill Company. They expect to have the church finished within the next few weeks.

The postoffice department is now advertising for bids for the carrying of mail on the Star Route between Rockwood and Scullion. All bids must be in the hands of the department by March 27.

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People Notice It. Drive Them Off with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets.

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

Clear the blood, the bowels and the liver with Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel—there's never any sickness or pain after taking them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe, instead of severe and irritating.

No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cursed with "a dark brown taste," a bad breath, a dull, listless, "no good" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad disposition or pimply face.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color.

Dr. Edwards spent years among patients afflicted with liver and bowel complaints, and Olive Tablets are the immediately effective result.

Take one or two nightly for a week. See how much better you feel and look. 50c and 25c per box. All druggists.

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Wash the poisons and toxins from system before putting more food into stomach.

Says inside-bathing makes any one look and feel clean, sweet and refreshed.

Wash yourself on the inside before breakfast like you do on the outside. This is usually more important because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, causing illness, while the bowel pores do.

For every ounce of food and drink taken into the stomach, nearly an ounce of waste material must be carried out of the body. If this waste material is not eliminated day by day it quickly ferments and generates poisons, gases and toxins which are absorbed or sucked into the blood stream, through the lymph ducts which should suck only nourishment to sustain the body.

A splendid health measure is to drink, before breakfast each day, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, which is a harmless way to wash the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels; thus cleansing, sweetening and facilitating the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs but very little at the drug store but is sufficient to make anyone an enthusiast on inside-bathing. Men and women who are accustomed to wake up with a dull, aching head or have turned tongue, bad taste, nasty breath, sallow complexion, others who have bilious attacks, acid stomach or constipation are assured of pronounced improvement in both health and appearance shortly.—Adv.

Ohioypyle.

OHIOYPYLE, March 8.—Mrs. J. W. Chuck of Uniontown is the guest of Ohioypyle friends a few days this week.

Dr. J. R. Cotton of Dawson spent Tuesday here on business.

Mrs. Russell Davis returned Tuesday evening from a short visit spent in Conneltsville.

Mrs. John Shaffer and son departed Tuesday for Conneltsville to visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. George Hershberger spent Wednesday in Conneltsville shopping and calling on friends.

Mrs. Ernest Hershberger, who has been visiting with Ohioypyle relatives, returned to Conneltsville yesterday.

Miss Elsie Beggs of Confluence spent Wednesday here with her music class.

Mrs. E. H. Kennedy was shopping and calling on Conneltsville friends yesterday.

D. J. Potter was a Conneltsville business visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Jones, who has been visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Jones, left yesterday for Conneltsville.

David McClain was a Conneltsville caller yesterday.

M. H. Buchstetter was looking after business in Confluence yesterday.

Mrs. Roscoe Moon of Slies was shopping in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cronwell departed Wednesday for Hursbert to visit relatives.

William Kinsley left Monday for Conneltsville.

Rosa Dryer and George Loser were callers in Confluence yesterday.

R. V. Ritenour was greeting Conneltsville friends Wednesday.

To Build Benzol Plant.

The Columbia Fuel & Iron Company has closed a contract with the H. Koppers Company for the erection of a benzol plant in connection with its coke ovens.

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MARIE WALCAMP IN THE SERIAL
"LIBERTY," NO. 16.

"THE FOLLY OF FANCHETTE."
AND ALSO TWO OTHER GOOD PICTURES.

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Display of Wool Dress Fabrics for Spring 1917



A special display of Wool Dress Fabrics for Spring, 1917, will be the feature offering of our Dress Goods Section the last three days of this week. It will include a host of new fabrics in colors, weaves, and patterns to kindle ardent enthusiasm for Spring sewing.

As every well informed woman knows, this is a great season for sport colors. So this display will bring forth plenty of serges in gay plaids and stripes that may be worked together in smart effects; velour plaids for sport coats; plain velours; high colored worsted checks and plaids; and blacks and whites in good representation.

A Dozen Choice Fabrics Specially Mentioned

—Staple French Serge, all staple shades, 75c, \$1.25, \$1.50 to \$2.50 yard.
—Panama Cloth, 42 in. wide, \$1.25 yard.
—Poplin, 50 in wide, at \$1.75 the yard.
—Frans, 42 in. wide, at \$1.50 the yard.

—50 inch Epingles, price \$2.25 yard.
—50 in. Gabardines at \$1.50, \$1.75 yard.
—48 inch Broadcloths, \$2.25, \$2.35, \$2.50 the yard.
—58 inch Velours, \$3.00 and \$3.50 yard.

—Rough Coatings, 50 inch wide, \$2, \$2.75, \$3 yard.
—Jersey Cloth, 52 in. wide, price \$3 yard.
—Fancy Skirting, 56 in. wide, \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3 yard.
—Poiret Twill, 42 to 48 in. wide, \$1.25, \$1.75 yard.

Our Special Display of Spring Wash Fabrics Begins All Over Again Today.

Our special display of Wash Fabrics for Spring, 1917, met with such unqualified success and was so enthusiastically received by our patrons that we have decided to restage it immediately in connection with the display of Wool Dress Goods.

These materials were secured months ago and, once sold, cannot be duplicated at the price. One lady told us they were so pretty she would like to have a dress off of every piece, while a second lady actually did purchase material for eleven wash dresses.

You will find on display Dress Ginghams, Printed Voiles, Batistes and Organdies, Striped and Figured Voiles, Batistes with colored printings, woven stripes and checks.

Colorings and printings represent a radical change from last season as the following list will show:—flame, shadow lawn green, gold, yellow, bright blue, coral, chartreuse, purple, mustard apricot, khaki, gray, bronze, orchid champagne and Palm Beach produced in Oriental Paisley, floral and chaffin printings.

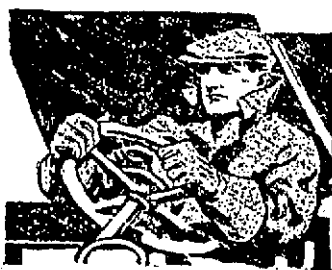
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American Voiles with attractive new printings at 25c to 35c yard.
Poplins, 27 to 36 in. wide, plain shades, at 35c and 50c yard.
31 inch Ginghams, in new plain shades, stripes, checks and plaids, at 18c to 28c yard.
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36 inch Devonshire Cloth, price 25c yard.

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Whether this is through manipulation or an actual shortage of raw stock, I cannot say, but the conditions are an actual fact, and all wall paper stores are facing this shortage. Last July I saw this condition coming, and through advice of people who knew the inside facts, I contracted in advance for 75,000 rolls of paper at a very slight advance over last year's prices. Now, I could be a hog, and hold tight for the four increases in price that have taken place since last July, but I do not intend to do so. I could sell the entire order back to the factory at a profit of \$1,000.00. Instead, I am offering this paper to you at a very reasonable profit, believing that my customers are entitled to it, and trusting you may appreciate it in the future. My prices are less than other dealers are paying for their paper. I have refused to enter any combination to raise the price. You will get more than a square deal by giving me your patronage. Look over my line. I can sell you papers for kitchen, bedrooms &c. at 10c the bolt; beautiful papers for bedrooms and general living rooms at 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c the bolt. Papers for your very best rooms at 10c, 12 1/2c, and 20c the bolt. Plain color genuine oatmeal papers at 15c the bolt.

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